

# Executive Proclamation

## State of South Dakota

### Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, In 1934, three members of the Rice family, Leslee, Hazel, and Glen, all entered the state of holy matrimony; and,

WHEREAS, For fifty years, Leslee and Eunice Rice, Earl and Hazel Baker and Glen and Mae Rice have been loving and living in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, The Rice family has amassed a total of 30 descendants, 29 of whom still reside in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, On Sunday, July 22, an open house will be held in honor of the Golden Wedding Anniversaries of these three special couples who have set such a remarkable example of lifelong devotion for their friends, progeny and all South Dakotans; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of the joyous occasion taking place in Custer in celebration of three South Dakota marriages which stand as a beacon to us all of the sacred nature of the marriage bond:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 22, 1984, as

EARL AND HAZEL BAKER DAY

In South Dakota, and I join the honored couple's many friends and relatives in wishing them many more years of health and happiness together.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of July, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four



ATTEST:

*Alice Kundert*  
ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

By: *Jay D. Vogt*  
Jay D. Vogt, Deputy

*William J. Janklow*  
WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

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